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# EIGHT ROAD BILLS FILED AT EXTRA SESSION OPENING PALMER SEEKS LAW TO IMPRISON ALL PROFITEERS TIMES-DISPATCH HIGHWAY BOOSTERS INVADE CAPITAL

# JUDGE WHITTLE'S SUCCESSOR TO BE NAMED VERY SOON

Special Session Proposes to Fill Prospective Supreme Court Vacancy.

REPORT IS INSISTENT ACTION WILL BE TAKEN PROMPTLY

Avowed Candidates for Highest Tribunal.

WON'T AWAIT REGULAR MEET

Incumbent's Resignation Will Become Effective on December

Appeals will take effect on Decemthis year, was the insisten

nstitution of Virginia. List of Judges Named. "Hughes Dillard, of Chatham, to be udge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit rom June 19, 1918, until thirty days Judge of the Seventh Judgeal Circuit honor, arranged by the entertainment in their from June 19, 1918, until thirty days committee, of which Alvin H. Smith after the convening of the General Assembly, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge E. J. Harvey.

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"Samuel G. Brent. of Alexandria City, to be judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit from September 1. 1918, until thirty days after the convening of the General Assembly to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge J. B. T. Thornton.

"Edward Walton Brown, of Danville city, to be judge of the Corporation Court of Danville, Va., from April 22, 1919, until thirty days after the convening of the General Assembly to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge William Leigh."

FORMER LOCAL FOOD ADMINISTRATOR NO. REORGANIZING FOR WILL Soon Name Commit Having Duty of Fixing Fair Provision Prices.

### DECLARE PLUM SCHEME FIRST MOVE FOR SOVIETS

### SEIZE MEN AND BOOZE

Two Truck Loads Confiscated Travel-ing Between Ohio and Penn-sylvania Towns.

(By Associated Press.)

CLEVELAND, August 13.—Nine men were arrested and \$100,000 worth of liquor confiscated today, when John out a win Sawkin, special agent of the Department of Justice, stopped two trucks sust outside of Youngstown, which were carrying the liquor into Ohio from Pennsylvania. One truck was loaded with 120 cases of beer and the other with 100 cases and two barrels of will be whisky.

Steamer the North Nor

### **FOOD CRISIS IN MOSCOW**

Famous "Seven Sister" Laws to Curb Trusts

ernor of New Jersey, are to be in-voked against the food profiteers, Attorney-teneral McCran let it be known today, when he called atten-tion of county prosecutors to sec-tion 13 of these laws. This section tion 13 of these laws. This section has been invoked only once since the laws were enacted. That was when oil refiners planned a boost in prices. The plan was quickly dropped.

A meeting of the twenty-one prosecutors of the State is to be held on Friday to plan united action against the profiteers, and treat them to an exhibition of the celerity of Jersey justice.

### Southall, Saunders and West Are ADVERTISING AND SELLING ARE SUBJECTS FOR TODAY

Southern Retail Merchants' Association Will Hear Jeter Jones Talk on "Smiles."

FINAL SESSION THIS AFTERNOON

Visiting Business Men Will Be Guests at Lunch of Richmond Shoe Firm. Theater Party Tonight Completes

final entertainment in their arranged by the entertainmen ttee, of which Alvin H. Smiti

### ADMINISTRATOR NOW REORGANIZING FORCE

Will Soon Name Committee Having Duty of Fixing

T. Archibald Cary, who was formerly local food administrator before the office was abolished, announced yes-Head of National Association of Manufacturers. Protests Plan to Control Railroads.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, August 12.—The Plumb plan for reorganization of the railroads was characterized "as the first step through the gateway of state socialism to the operation of transport to the House termer submitted to the House trends the trends when the termer submitted to the House trends the trends that the next few days.

Only the House trends the membership of 5,000, contended that it was not only the right, but the duty of Congress to exercise its authority "and define the limits within which business men or working men, capital or labor, employer or employee may go in threatening the tronsportation of the representation of the rep

Sends Call

for Help.

(By Associated Press.)

DOVER, August 13.—The American steamer Englewood struck a mine into the North Sea, off the Thames River, at 7:30 o'clock this morning, and sent out a wireless message for help. She, however, is in no immediate danger of sinking, and tugs are standing by. The Englewood is making for the Thames under her own steam. If she takes on more water she probably will be beached at Sheerness.

Actors Reopen Chicago The CHICAGO, Angering the American Refrigerating Association, told the House Committee on Agriculture that legislation for reasonable regulation of cold storage plants would not be objected to by his organization, but that nearly all of the pending bills were too drastic.

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CHICAGO, August 13.—Performances were held tonight at all the big Chicago playhouses by virtue of a truce in the actors' strike, which last night closed the Cort Theater and Cohan's Grand Opera House and threatened to spread to other houses.

# TO REACH HOARDERS WILL RESIST PLAN WITH PENALTY ACT

Attorney-General Would Provide Telephone Company to Fight Two-Year Terms for Convicted Violators.

Will Employ Publicity in Launch- Declares as Result of War, ing Attack on Food Law Breakers.

Charges Coal Men Are in Plot.

Representative Huddleston, Demot. Alabama, and an owner of large if fields, charged in a speech in the use that the National Coal Associan had entered into an "infamous "to withhold coal from the market that a shortage would result and ces would be "sky high" this winter. The Attorney-General announced first conviction obtained in the against present exorbitant prices, read a telegram telling of the art, trial and conviction of a grocer it rial and conviction of a grocer singhamton, N. Y., who asked it its a pound for sugar. He was \$500.

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destruction of food. Huge quantities
of fish, caught off the New Jersey
coast, were dumped back into the
Atlantic so that the market would not
fall. An investigation of this has
already been ordered.

Postmasters (then Instructions

(By Universal Service.)
LONDON, August 13.—Flying hicycles are the lates word in aerial fashions. Gabriel Poulain, noted French cyclist, Dispatch From Heisinfors State There Is Discontent With Soviet Government.

STOCKHOLM, August 13.—A serious food crisis has occurred in Moscow and there is general discontent there with the Soviet government, a dispatch from Heisinfors to the Svenska Dagbiad says. In view of the situation, it is added, the Soviet government is thinking of leaving Moscow for Tula.

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# OF PRE-WAR RATES RICHMOND TO V

Restoration of Former Schedules.

INCLUDE WEARING APPAREL ADMITS SERVICE IS FAULTY

Organization Finds Its Plant Depleted.

said vesterday

ken even the slightest in-

ing so much money that it could n stand delay and therefore it could n consent to a restoration of pre-w rates pending a hearing which, it declared, might be long drawn out.

ountry."
Sir Donald MacLean, a Liberal member, also denounced the amendment, characterizing it as "rank socialism of the most muddled kind."

Grey Will Accept Post.
LONDON, August 13.—Viscount Grey, former British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has agreed to represent the British government at Washington, pending the appointment of a permanent ambassador.

Visitors Are Welcomed to the City by Virginia's Governor.

PARADE IS PARTICIPATED IN BY 240 AUTOMOBILES

Trophy Cup for Largest Delegation Is Awarded to Petersburg.

DAVIS PLEDGES HIS SUPPORT

Will Do All in His Power to Advance Effort for Better Thoroughfares.

terday staged the most historic event Several hundred good roads advocates-men and women-gathered fron Times-Dispatch booster run, assemdemonstrated to the Commonwealth's way legislation, which the General Assembly has convened to enact.

noke. Bristol, Fredericksburg, New-port News, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk and a score of other towns, besides individuals representing smaller com-munities and many counties, were among those who registered at The Times-Dispatch booth in the Richmond Hotel.

Short welcoming address. Colonel Short welcoming address. Colonel Charles E. Hasbrook, publisher of The Times-Dispatch, stated that the large gathering of citizens, representing not one community, but the entire State, proved conclusively the interest in the good roads movement in Virginia.

Formal presentation of the silver loving cup to State Senator Patrick H. Drewry, representing the Petersburg delegation, was then made by Colonel Hasbrook. In his reply, Senator Drewry praised the enterprise of those behind the "booster run" which had nimmediate confers at the allied generals there and to make every effort to avoid compiliations.

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ALL WHO DID NOT PAX Assembly the urgent need of proper highway legislation.

Governor Davis Introduced.

Governor Davis was then introduced by Colonel Hasbrook, and delivered a short welcome address to the visitors. He pointed out the opportunities to be opened to the Commonwealth by the successful completion of a good roads system in this State. Much of Virginia's wealth is moving into other States because of the barriers placed by lack of good highways, he said. Trade and produce of the districts beyond the mountains are going into West Virginia and other States because of poor transportation facilities to Governor Davis Introduced.

SEIZE MILLION EGGS
HELD IN STORAGE AT
CHATTANOOGA, TENN

Motion For Sale of Confineated
Property Will You B
Filed in Court.

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According to the figures, trucks on good roads may haul freight for from 15 to 18 cents per mile, while wagon transportation costs from 30 to 45 cents per mile. Other striking advantages

transportation costs from as to 13 cents per mile. Other striking advantages of good roads, such as are found in France, and are repeatedly declared to have been the salvation of that nation when attacked by Germany, were depicted in the film.

Following the showing of the picture of the pi (Continued on Second Page.)

What Happened First Day of Extra Session

son his message to the General Assembly, making suggestions as to laxation for rouds and the recrea-tion of the State Highway Commis-

taxation for rouds and the recreation of the State Highway Commission and promising fullest support to better highways.

Good ronds hoosters, coming to Richmond under the auspices of The Times-Dispatch, broke all records as a body of automobile owners advocating a definite, forward-looking policy of rond construction and maintenance.

Sentiment quickly crystalized for limiting the task of the Legislature at the special session to rond legislation and measures considered necessary by the Governor.

Many members assert that the General Assembly at this session will name a successor to Judge Stafford G. Whittle, president of the Supreme Court of Appeals.

Eight bills for better highways in Virginia were introduced in the House of Delegates.

Delegate Boschen, of Richmond, introduced a measure regulating food in cold storage, as a step toward bringing down the high cost of living.

SAYS PARIS' INSTRUCTIONS

Roumanian High Commander at

SUPERSEDES AGENTS ACTION

Document Sent by Roumania to

Is Regarded as Ultimatum.

Archduke Insisting Upon Bound-

ary Established by Allies in 1916

PARIS, August 13 .- Constantine Di-

mandy, Roumanian High Commission-

er at Budapest, according to a message

Paris asking if they were right in con-

Budapest Replies to Inter-Allied Commission.

U. S. HIGHWAY FUND Governor Takes Issue With

Proposals of Good Roads

Association.

DAVIS ASKS FOR 10

DELIVERS HIS MESSAGE TO ASSEMBLY IN PERSON

Recounts Reasons for Not Calling Session, but Calls for Best Laws Possible.

HOUSE LIMITS ITS ACTIVITIES

relegates Vote to Exclude All Matters Except Those Pertaining to Post Roads.

Governor Davis' message is printed in full on Page 3.

Outstanding features which yes cial session of the General Assembly

Wide differences of opinion between he Governor and the Virginia Good Roads Association as to adequate statutory action for setting in motion State machinery for better highways. The obvious intention of the chier

his command for furthering the task committee in the Hungarian of building roads and to set definitely capital, informed the members of the before the people of Virginia the ideal

resiston of the Legislature.

Urges Road Education.

"The feeling that a road law." he said, "which contemplates the expenditure of a vast sum of money should be considered by a Legislature elected upon that issue where the people have had full opportunity for the discussion of the subject and the thought that you gentlemen were probably of that opinion, because at the last session I appeared before your committees and urged a 10-cent special road tax, when, in your judgment, you provided only a tax of 3 cents for roads and the small additional impost necessary in 1920 to assure Federal aid, ail confirmed my conviction that no such extraordinary condition existed as to justify the calling of the General Assembly by me into special session."

The Governor insisted that there should have been a campaign of education on behalf of the movement and that the farmers should have had more consideration at this time.

"I deemed it advisable," he declared, before entering upon a vast legislative program for road building that a campaign of education should be conducted in Virginia, that our peopel might be the more fully impressed with the benefits that come of good roads, and that they should the more clearly understand with what a relatively small contribution from their wealth a great highway system may be developed.

Asrees to License Measure.

TOLEDO. Ontio, August 13.—Two food concerns and six individual dealers were indicted by the county grand jury here today as the first result of an investigation that has been underway nearly two weeks.

The indictments charge membership in an unlawful trust to control trade and prevent competition.

The grand jury investigation is being continued, and, according to the county prosecuting attorney, other indictments are expected.

Belgian Troops in Melmedy.

BRUSSELS. August 13.—Belgian troops have occupied the Malmedy district of Rhenish Prussia.

Refers to Soldiers' Service.

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